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<b>REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL</b>	Attorney Docket No.	0826.1802	
	Application Number	10/092,444	
	Filing Date	March 8, 2002	
	First Named Inventor	Naoki AKABOSHI et al.	
	Group Art Unit	2172	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	0.00	Examiner Name	Cam Truong

**FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)**

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	19	20 =	0	X \$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	5	5 =	0	X \$ 200.00 =	0.00
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of __, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160));					0.00
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00)					
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)					
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)					
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 0.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					
<b>TOTAL FEES DUE =</b>					<b>\$ 0.00</b>

- (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".
- (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".
- (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".
- (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

- ☐ Check enclosed as payment.
- ☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.
- ☒ No payment is enclosed and no charges to the Deposit Account are authorized at this time (unless specifically required to obtain a filing date).

**GENERAL AUTHORIZATION**

- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:  
Deposit Account No. 19-3935  
Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP
- ☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Naoki AKABOSHI, et al.

Serial No. 10/092,444

Group Art Unit: 2172

Confirmation No. 1417

Filed: March 8, 2002

Examiner: Cam Y.T. Truong

For: SEARCHING APPARATUS AND SEARCHING METHOD USING PATTERN OF WHICH  
SEQUENCE IS CONSIDERED

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following amendments are submitted in response to the Examiner's Amendment  
included in the Notice of Allowability mailed May 6, 2005.